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Title: Method and Apparatus For An Acoustic
Pulse Decay Density Determination**Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment Dated March 30, 2005**

This paper is in response to a Non-Compliant Amendment filed on March 14, 2005. Please amend the application as indicated below. Consideration of the application as amended is requested. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees associated with this amendment to Deposit Account 02-0429 (584-30656-US).